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- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/19/2006
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 06/19/2006
- Copy of Annexes to the IPE filed on 06/19/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 02/09/2007
- Oath or Declaration filed on 06/19/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 06/19/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 06/19/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 06/19/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
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SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Surcharge.

Additionally the following defects have been observed:

- Annexes have not been entered because claims 4 and 5 are missing.

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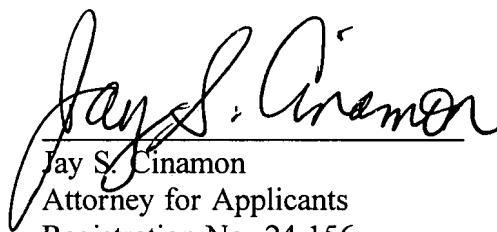
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REMARKS

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements of May 7, 2007, copy enclosed, applicants submit herewith a properly executed Declaration/Power of Attorney and a check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the surcharge for a large entity for the late filing of the Declaration.

Please charge any deficiency or other fees or credit any refund or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-0035.

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